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SUBJECT: VISIT OF HENRY KISSINGER TO ARGENTINA

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1. FOLLOWING SCHEDULE WORKED OUT BY DR. YOFRE
AND GIVEN US YESTERDAY EVENING LOOKS FIRM
ALTHOUGH DETAILS REMAIN TO BE WORKED OUT
(YOFRE HAS COORDINATED WITH AMBASSADOR AJA ESPIL,
WHO BY NOW SHOULD HAVE SAME PROGRAM):

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21---

0045 - ARRIVE EZEIZA VIA AR-341. KISSINGERS
WILL BE MET BY UNDER SECRETARY OF
INSTITUTIONAL RELATIONS OF THE OFFICE
OF THE PRESIDENCY, COL. MIGUEL A.
MALLEA GIL; MINISTER-COUNSELLOR AND
MRS. ADOLFO BONORINO (OF THE US DESK
OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY) WHO WILL ACT
AS GOA ESCORTS FOR THE KISSINGERS
THROUGHOUT THEIR STAY; EMBASSY ADCM JACK HIGGINS AND
APOLCOUNS TONY FREEMAN.

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ROUGHLY 0145 - AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CASTRO WILL RECEIVE
THE KISSINGERS AT THE RESIDENCE.

1030-1200 - MEETING AT INSTITUTO DI TELLA WITH
INTELLECTUALS ORGANIZED BY INSTITUTE
DIRECTOR JAVIER VILLANUEVA.

ALTERNATIVE "A" - (IF ARGENTINE TEAM WINS JUNE 18,
PRESIDENT VIDELA WILL INVITE THE
KISSINGERS TO ARGENTINA'S FINAL GROUP A GAME
IN ROSARIO ON JUNE 21)

1315 - PRESIDENTIAL STAG LUNCHEON AT OLIVOS.
ACTING FOREIGN (DEFENSE) MINISTER,
AIR FORCE BRIGADIER MAYOR (MAJGEN-RET)
JOSE MARIA KLIX, AND AMBASSADOR CASTRO
WILL ALSO ATTEND.

- THE PRESIDENT, THE KISSINGERS AND
AMBASSADOR CASTRO DEPART FOR ROSARIO,
(AT TIME TO BE DETERMINED) IN PRESIDENTIAL
AIRCRAFT TO SEE:

1915 - ARGENTINA VS PERU SOCCER MATCH.
(RETURNING SAME EVENING)

ALTERNATIVE "B" - (IF DECISION IS TO SEE BUENOS AIRES
MATCH) (LIGHT LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE AT
RESIDENCE FOR KISSINGER FAMILY PRIOR
TO MATCH IF NO OTHER INVITATIONS DEVELOP.)

1345 - HOLLAND VS ITALY MATCH AT RIVER PLATE STADIUM.

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2115 - PRESIDENT AND MRS. VIDELA'S BLACK TIE DINNER
AT OLIVOS FOR DR. AND MRS. KISSINGER. OTHER
GUESTS WILL BE KLIX, ECONOMY MINISTER JOSE
ALFREDO MARTINEZ DE HOZ, AMBASSADOR CASTRO,
AMBASSADOR RAFAEL VASQUEZ AND WIVES.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22---

- THE KISSINGERS LEAVE IN THE MORNING (TIME TO BE
CONFIRMED) BY AIRCRAFT ACCOMPANIED BY DR. AND
MRS. MARTINEZ DE HOZ AND AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CASTRO
FOR AN ESTANCIA NEAR TANDIL IN THE SOUTHERN PART
OF BUENOS AIRES PROVINCE. OVERNIGHT AT THE
ESTANCIA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23---

- RETURN (PROBABLY AFTER LUNCH)

(AFTERNOON MAY BE ONLY TIME AVAILABLE TO
DR. KISSINGER FOR SIGHTSEEING IN BUENOS AIRES
AND SHOPPING, IF DESIRED.)

1900 TO 2100 - AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CASTRO'S RECEPTION. ABOUT
150 COUPLES INVITED, REPRESENTING A BROAD CROSS-
SECTION OF GOVERNMENT, MILITARY, AGRICULTURE
AND BUSINESS, ACADEMIC, ARTISTIC, SPORTS, PRESS AND TV,
AND INTELLECTUAL FIGURES, EX-FOREIGN MINISTERS
AND AMBASSADORS TO THE US, AND A SPRINKLING
OF POLITICAL PERSONALITIES.

2130 - STAG DINNER (BLACK TIE) HOSTED BY
MARTINEZ DE HOZ. (PLEASE ADVISE IF
MRS. KISSINGER AND DAVID WISH TO ATTEND
THE VERDI OPERA "OTELLO" AT THE COLON
THEATER ACCOMPANIED BY GOA ESCORTS.)
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SATURDAY, JUNE 24---

0930-1100 - "OFF-THE-RECORD" COLLOQUY AT AMBASSADOR
VASQUEZ' RESIDENCE WITH POLITICAL AND
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS REPORTS MOST OF
WHOM SPEAK ENGLISH (CARLOS OTERO AND
CLAUDIO ESCRIBANO OF LA NACION; MANFRED
SCHONFELD OF LA PRENSA; ROBERTO GUARESCHI
AND ENRIQUE ALONSO OF CLARIN, LAURO LAINO
OF LA RAZON; BOB COX OF THE BUENOS AIRES
HERALD; DANILO MANZINI OF LA OPINION;
AND JOSE IGNACIO LOPEZ OF NOTICIAS
ARGENTINAS.)

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1130-1230 - PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMA BY ARGENTINE COUNCIL ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS. DR. KISSINGER WILL BE HONORED AS THE COUNCIL'S FIRST FOREIGN MEMBER. COUNCIL PRESIDENT (FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER AND AMBASSADOR TO US CARLOS M. MUNIZ) WILL GIVE A SHORT TALK AND DR. KISSINGER WILL BE INVITED TO GIVE A 15-20 MINUTE REPLY (OR LONGER IF HE WISHES). (DR. KISSINGER WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET DR. MUNIZ AND SOME OF THE OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS AT THE AMBASSADOR'S RECEPTION.)

LUNCH APPEARS OPEN.

1500 - SOCCER MATCH

2115 - DINNER HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR VASQUEZ AT THE JOCKEY CLUB. OTHER GUESTS INCLUDE: FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER CARLOS FLORIT, EX-AMBASSADOR TO US HIPOLITO J. PAZ AND EDUARDO ROCA, HISTORIANS NATALIO BOTANA AND CARLOS FLORIA, HEART SPECIALIST DR. RENE FAVALORO, BIOCHEMIST ALEJANDRO LELOIR, LAWYER MARIO OROQUIETA, INDUSTRIALIST FEDERICO ZORRAQUIN, RURAL SOCIETY

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PRESIDENT CELEDONIO PEREDA, JOCKEY CLUB PRESIDENT ROBERTO VAZQUEZ MANSILLA, POLITICIANS FERNANDO DE LA RUA, RAFAEL MARTINEZ RAYMONDA AND EMILIO HARDOY, COL. MALLEA GIL OF THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, AND A NAVY AND AN AIR FORCE OFFICER WHO SPEAK ENGLISH. THE DINNER IS STAG, BUT MRS. KISSINGER IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND. (PLEASE ADVISE IF ALTERNATE PROGRAM IS PREFERRED.)

SUNDAY, JUNE 25---

1000 - TAPING OF TV INTERVIEW FOR CHANNEL 11 WITH NEWSMEN BERNARDO NEUSTADT AND MARIANO GRONDONA.

1200 - LUNCHEON HOSTED BY EDITORIAL ATLANTIDA.

1500 - FINAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP GAME.

2015 - DEPART VIA VARIG-1911 FOR RIO.
(RESERVATIONS CONFIRMED.)

2. IF INCLEMENT WEATHER THURSDAY PREVENTS EXCURSION TO
ESTANCIA, GOA WILL SEEK TO MOVE ATLANTIDA LUNCH TO THIS
DAY.

3. ADVISE IF KISSINGERS PREFER EARLIER DEPARTURE FROM
ESTANCIA FRIDAY MORNING TO PERMIT MORE SIGHTSEEING IN
BUENOS AIRES AND FREE TIME.

4. WE ARE SEEKING TO FIT BORGES IN CONVENIENT SPOT ON
SCHEDULE.
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5. GOA HAS CHANGED RESERVATIONS FOR KISSINGER SECURITY
DETAIL TO THE LUZ Y FUERZA (LIGHT AND POWER) TRADE UNION
HOTEL (ABOUT 10 MINUTES FROM RESIDENCE.)

6. NOTHING FURTHER HEARD ABOUT TEA FOR MRS. KISSINGER
HOSTED BY MRS. VIDELA. APPEARS TO BE OUT DUE TO TIME
FACTOR.

7. THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES BY UNIVERSITY OF
BUENOS AIRES AND THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF LAW AND
SOCIAL SCIENCES HAS ALSO BEEN DROPPED FOR LACK OF TIME.

8. REQUEST REPLY FROM MRS. KISSINGER CONCERNING OPERA
ON FRIDAY EVENING, IF ALTERNATE PROGRAM DESIRED SATURDAY
EVENING, AND ALTERNATE PROGRAM INTERESTS FOR DAVID. GOA
AIDE COSTA BONORINO AND FAMILY WILL BE AVAILABLE TO
ACCOMPANY MRS. KISSINGER AND DAVID FOR ANY SEPARATE
PROGRAMS.

9. FYI - EX-FOREIGN MINISTER ALBERTO JUAN VIGNES DIED
JUNE 13.
CASTRO

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